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Subject: DRCC draft factsheet about LDW ESD

To BJ Cummings, Tom Burbacher, Linn Gould, Paulina and James -

DRCC/TAG, the Lower Duwamish Waterway (LDW) Community Advisory Group, provided EPA an opportunity to review DRCC's draft factsheet about the proposed ESD for factual correctness. Per DRCC, the factsheet is being reviewed by UW and Just Health Action and is to be distributed on Monday.

A section of the factsheet is titled "What do independent scientists say about the new information?"

Please review this section in particular, as it does not appear to accurately reflect the stated views of the Science Advisory Board. In finalizing its toxicological review of benzo[a]pyrene, EPA responded in the public record to Science Advisory Board SAB comments as part of a formal process. See Appendix F of the Toxicological Review of Benzo[a]pyrene, Supplemental Information.

EPA recommends that this section distinguish SAB input on benzo[a]pyrene from input on other topics (the use of benzo[a]pyrene as an index chemical) from other scientists.

Thank you